

Town of Wilbraham

Board of Water Commissioners

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Wilbraham Board of Water Commissioners

Minutes of Meeting May 12, 2023

Physically Present: Chairman James Dunbar, Commissioners Rik Alvarez, Douglas Hutcheson, Water Superintendent Vinnie Pafumi, Administrative Assistants Annette Grasso and Deborah Walch.

CALLED MEETING TO ORDER:

Meeting was called to order at 8:47 a.m.

MINUTES:

Motion was made and unanimously voted to accept the Minutes of the April 7th, 2023 meeting.

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WATER DEPARTMENT BUSINESS:

<u>Daily Flows</u>: Vinnie stated flows are picking up with irrigation that has started.

<u>Hardships/Abatements</u>: Four payment plans were approved by the Water Commissioners noting they must be paid in full before the next billing cycle. Two abatements were approved by the Water Commissioners.

Budget: Nothing to report.

Water Conservation: Water bills went out with information on how to conserve water.

Shut off Notices: Nothing new to report

Golden Nozzle Water Usage: Vinnie and Golden Nozzle representatives are watching the flows.

<u>Consecutive Water Agreement:</u> Water Commissioners signed the Consecutive Water Agreement for Cedar Ridge.

Water Entry Fees: Nothing new to report

<u>Lead Service Inventory Grant:</u> DEP has approved the grant in the amount of 160K. If, grant money is needed it will be reimbursed after work is completed.

<u>Water Estimate Process:</u> The Board of Water Commissioners agreed and approved the water estimate process. Readings that need to be estimated will start at 12,000cf.

Sewer Department Business: Reviewed Documents and will further discuss in the near future.

NEXT MEETING:
The next meeting is scheduled for June 9, 2023 @ 8:45

Motion was made and seconded to adjourn at 9:24 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Deborah Walch Administrative Assistant